1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 Case No. 2:23-cv-03322-JFW (GJS) ROBERT McCULLOCK, Plaintiff 12 ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS 13 v. ID RECOMMENDATIONS OF 14 WARDEN D. SAMUEL, et al., **JUDGE** 15 Defendants. 16 17 Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636, the Court has reviewed the Complaint [Dkt. 1], 18 all relevant documents filed and lodged in this action, the Report and 19 Recommendation of United States Magistrate Judge [Dkt. 17, "Report"], and 20 Plaintiff's "Answer" to the Report [Dkt. 18]. The "Answer" does not state any 21 22 objections to the Report. 23 Having completed its review, the Court accepts the findings, conclusions, and recommendations set forth in the Report. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that: (1) 24 the Complaint is dismissed both with and without leave to amend for the reasons 25 26 outlined in the Report; (2) Plaintiff is granted leave to amend to file a First Amended Complaint that attempts to plead viable 42 U.S.C. § 1983 claims based on 27 the theory that Defendants' failure to provide him with currently effective versions 28

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of certain CDCR forms violated Plaintiff's First Amendment right to access the courts and his procedural due process rights; (3) in all other respects, the Complaint is dismissed without leave to amend; and (4) if Plaintiff wishes to pursue this action, he must file a First Amended Complaint within thirty (30) days of this Order that corrects the defects of the Complaint identified in the Report. DATE: May 17, 2024 JOHN F. WALTER UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE